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Chief Manager.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

LOUAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Drafts granted on London, and the

NOTICE

DULES OF THE HONGKONG

be conducted by the Hongkong and

SAVINGS' BANK.

2.—The Assets of the Hongkoug and

3.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

4.—Deposits may be on behalf of relations,

6. Penesifors in the Savings' Bank having

at 5 per cont, per minum interest.

7.—Deposits may be forwarded from the

\$100 or more at their credit may at

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-poration on fixed deposit for 12 months

their option transfer the same to the

Ports by means of clean Hongkong

with a Pass-Book which must be pre-

sented with each payment or with-

drawal. Depositors must not make

any entries themselves in their Pass-

Books but should send them to be

gistered Letters containing Stamps or

respondence as to the business of the

Bank will, if marked On Hongkong

Savings Bank Business, be forwarded

free of Postage or Registration Fees

by the various British Post Offices in

but the personal attendance of the

depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book

business of the Savings' Bank are

For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

CORPOBATION.

11. Withdrawals may be made on demand,

12 -All documents connected with the

tors own account.

be credited one dollar.

their daily balances.

ning of July.

Hongkong and China.

exempt from stamp duty.

Hongkong, April 25, 1884.

1st MAY, 1884.

Shanghai Banking Corporation will

form a direct security for the repay-

ment of sums deposited in the above

at one time will not be received. No

depositor may deposit more than \$1,500

of trusts, &c., in addition to the deposi-

Australia, America, China and Japan.

11 6 in Aper cont. 11

For Fixed Deposits:-

Exchange business transacted.

Hongkong, July 14, 1884.

H. Horrius, Esq.

A. McIves, Esq.

C. D. BOTTOMLEY, M. GROTE, Esq.

ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTOR, Mel-

就三十月八年四十八百八千一英

Prospectus.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, AUGUST 23, 1884.

Bistablished Fobruary, 1845.

HIGH CLASS FURNITURE CORPORATION.

THE FURNITURE EXHIBITION, LONDON, 1884.

For Sale.

R. MARTEN, who has been engaged in London to take Charge of the FURNITURE DEPARTMENT of the HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, Shanghai, has just arrived per S.S. Glenogle and brought with him Specimens of the Latest Styles of HIGH CLASS FURNITURE.

Inlaid and other Drawing-room Suites, consisting of Cabinets; Leo, Card and other Tables; Lounges and Settees in Brocaded NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS of SHARES of the Brackets, &c., &c.

Great Novelties in Lounges, Easy Chairs, &c., Suitable for Dining-rooms, Libraries, and Billiard-rooms.

A Very Good Selection of real Indian, Persian and Prayer Carpets; Smyrna and other Eastern Rugs.

The above GOODS will be on view at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, on THURSDAY NEXT for a few days; and Mr. MARTEN, who has a practical knowledge of Cabinet Manufactury, will be happy to Hongkong and whampoa dock furnish estimates and designs of the Latest Art or other Styles of Furniture.

Hongkong, August 23, 1884. NOTICE.

CAYLE & Co. beg to inform their Customers and the Public in general that in consequence of the Death of the Senion all the latest improvements, with steel partner, the BUSINESS carried on in Hongkong will be

On or before the 31st day of August Next,

AND THE WHOLE OF THE STOCK is now offered at a REDUCTION of 25 per Cent. on the Marked Prices.

Special terms will be made for parcels of Goods over \$100 in value purchased at one time.

All Sales from this date will be for Cash only. Customers tively low cost per mile of the projected are requested to make immediate Payment of Americants due by

> SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

OVERSTRUNG TRICHORD COTTAGE

PIANOS,

NEUMEYER & Co., WEIDENSLAUFER & ROSENKRANZ. Specially manufactured for this climate. COMPLETE IRON FRAME AND TUNING PLATE Unrivalled for Brilliancy and Sweetness of Tone.

FINEST TOUCH.

Price for Cash, from \$230 to \$250. On Hire, per month, from \$ 15 to \$ 20.

Special attention is called to the fact that after having hired a Piano for 14 months, it will become without further payment the property of the hirer.

INSPECTION SOLICITED. Apply to

Prof. A. VITA, 4. Old Bailey Street.

Hongkong, July 14, 1884.

Hongkong, June 9, 1884.

Intimations.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE

WE Have this day Admitted as a PARTNER in our Firm Mr. WILLIAM SNELL ORR. Our PARTNERS now are Mr. THOMAS DEAS BOYD, Mr. EDWARD NEILSON ROSE, Mr. THOMAS COVIL and Mr. WILLIAM SNELL ORR.

Amoy, 1st July, 1884.

Intimations. NOTICE.

For the HONGRONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, May 30, 1884.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

pany are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of the PROFITS reserved for CONTRIBUTORS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the Thirty-first day of October next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, August 15, 1884

D. K. GRIFFITH & Co. TANUFACTURERS OF THE LONDON

ERATED WATERS, Have Removed from the BEACONSFIELD ARCADE to larger Premises 1, DUDDELL STREET, Where they continue to Supply:

WATER, LEMONADE. Toxic GINGERADE, RASPBERRYADE. Seltzer &c., &c., Sarsaparilla-11 At the same Moderate Charges. D. K. GRIFFITH,

Promietor. Hongkong, July 28, 1884. NOTICE

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION.

ALL HOLDERS of NOTES of the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA-TION (HONGKONG BRANCH), are hereby requested to present them to the Liquidarous of the Bank, when they will be given in Exchange, a certificate of the value of the Notes deposited. HOLDERS of Notes will be required to

Furnish to the LIQUIDATORS of the Bank, a schedule in duplicate, giving the date of Issue, Number and Amount of each Note Forms of Schedule may be had on application at the Office of the CRIENTAL BASK

CORPORATION, Queen's Road, Hongkong. For the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR OF THE

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. By his Attorneys, j. Melville Matson, H. HOWARD TAYLOR.

Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corroration will be Held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong on MONDAY, the 25th day of August current, at THREE o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1884.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1884. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Conponation will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 25th August current (both days inclusive) during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON, Orief Manager. Hongkong, August 1, 1884. DVERTISER wishes a SITUATION to

A go to SAN FRANCISCO OF any Port of ENGLAND. Wages no object. Apply by Mrs. SWEET, 'Rocklands,' Robinson Road.

Hongkong, August 21, 1884.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

1416 FIGHE DIVIDEND of 6 %, being \$7.50 per Share for the Six Months ended 30th June, 1884, declared at To-day's Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting, will be Payable THEIR STORE, Swatow, on at the premises of the Hongkong AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on and after TUESDAY, the 19th Instant, and Shareholders are requested to apply for DIVIDEND WARRANTS at the Company's OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, Hongkong By Order of the Board of Directors,

D. GILLIES. Hongkong, August 18, 1884.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

CONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS of Business Contributed during the Half-Year ended 30th June, 1884, on or before the 30th September next, on which date the Accounts will be Closed. By Order of the Board of Directors,

D. GILLIES.

Hongkong, August 18, 1884.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

TN Accordance with the Provisions of the

Imperial Stamp Act, all TRANSFERS of SHARES in this Company (except in cases when the Transferror and Transferree are residents in this Colony) must be completed at the HEAD OFFICE in London. Such Transfers are subject to the Stamp duty of Ten Shillings for each One hundred Pounds or part of One hundred Pounds of the consideration money, and there will be incurred also a fee of 2/6d, for each Certi-

The Company have availed themselves of the Companies (Colonial) Register Act 1883, and a Local Register has now been opened at this Office for Shares held by residents in this Colony.

By Order of the Board of Directors, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, August 19, 1884.

WILLIAM DOLAN, SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER

22, PRAYA CENTRAL MOTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS

MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS. CORK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, May 1, 1882.

Notices to Consignees.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITEI FROM BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, AND SAIGON.

THE Steamship Celebra having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, August 18, 1884. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

NONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex Yangue) Order, from Mar-A, 2 cases Berks, B. 1 " Stationery, seilles. M J (in dia.), 597 (in dia), 3 cases, from above.

Marseilles. 1 MARTIN, Acting Agent.

日三初月七年申甲 Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

CAYLE & Co. will continue Selling by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 25th, and

TUESDAY,

the 26th Instant, at the VICTORIA EXCHANGE, commencing at 2 o'Clock p.m. each day,-THE DALANCE OF THEIR FURNISHING AND UPHOLSTERY

Terms of Sale. - Cash on delivery. SAYLE & Co., Auctioneers.

DEPARTMENTS.

Hongkong, August 22, 1884.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-tions from H.M. NAVAL STOREKEEPER

to Sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY the 2nd of September, 1884, at Noon, at H. M. NAVAL YARD,—

SUNDRY CONDEMNED STORES, &c., comprising :-OLD IRON, HOSES, LEATHER, PAPER STUPP, CROCKERY and GLASS, EMPTY CASKS, SLOPS, BISCUITS, CHOCOLATE, COOK'S FAT,

IMPLEMENTS. TERMS OF SALE. - As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Government Auctioneer. Hongkong, August 22, 1884.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned have received instruc-tions to Sell by Public Auction, at

TUESDAY, the 16th September, 1884, at (3) Three

o'Clock p.m.,-THE FINE AND WELL-KNOWN SIAMESE BARQUE 'TAYWATT.'

as she then lies moored in the harbour of Swatow, together with all her MASTS, YARDS, GEAR AND APPURTENANCES. She is built of Transwood with Yrllow

METAL SHEATHING, and carries about (17,000) Seventeen thousand Picula. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash on the fall of the hammer; weighed at 7.2.0; the Vessel, &c., to be at Purchaser's risk as soon as knocked

For further Particulars, apply to QUELCH & Co., Auctioneers.

Swatow, 20th August, 1884.

Shipping. Steamers.

FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT.) THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. The Company's Steamer above Port on MONDAY, the 25th Instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

Hongkong, August 21, 1884. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY

FOR AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamshin Captain Pocock, will be despatched for the above

LIMITED.

Ports on MONDAY, the 25th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, August 22, 1884. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND: through Passage

Tickets granted to PORT MORESBY, NEW GUINEA), vid FOOCHOW. The Steamship Wooning,
Captain Hunt, will be
despatched as above on

MONDAY, 25th August.
This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon For Freight or Passage, apply to-

Hongkong, August 13, 1884. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Captain Jacobs, will be despatched as above on or about the 27th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, August 12, 1884.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO The Steamship Captain Throusen, will have quick despatch as

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, August 18, 1884.

FOR SHANGHAI. (Taking Cargo & Paisengers at through rates for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-

The Steamship Captain Hogo, will be despatched as above on or about the 25th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & U. Hongkong, August 19, 1884.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOTHOW The Co.'s Steamship

For Freight or Passage, apply to

CHANGE OF DATE OF DEPARTURE.

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. The P. & O. S. N. Co,'s Steamship Bangalore

instead of as previously advertised. A. MoIVER,

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, August 19, 1884.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN; SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND TRIESTE.

> MEDITERRANEAN PORTS. The Co.'s Steamship

above on or about the 28th Instant, at

NATAL, EAST LONDON, PORT ELIZABETH & CAPE TOWN. The Steamship Kennett,

above Ports, on or about the 20th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL -The Steamship Principle,

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.2

Captain Gears, will be despatched as above on For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. British Ship

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 9, 1884.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.L.L. American Ship BAILEY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will Southern Cross have quick despatch.

HOP SHING & Co.,

ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS, COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IRON FOUNDERS, de.,

TAVING This Day commenced Bustof the shove Descriptions under the Super-Orders executed with the utmost despatch

'24th September, 1883.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH, Shipping. Steamers.

CHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGISZE.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

Captain Young, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 26th Instant, at

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, August 22, 1884.

will leave for the above place on TUESDAY, 26th Inst., at 3 p.m.,

Superintendent.

STEAM FOR

(Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL-CUTTA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS. ODESSA, and the

Captain G. B. VERONA, will be despatched as

For further Particulars, apply to MELOHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, August 15, 1884.

FOR SINGAPORE, MAURITIUS, PORT

Kennett,
Captain Sanderson, will
be despatched for the

Hongkong, August 7, 1884. UNION LINE.

Captain KERBUSH, due on or about the 1st September next, will have immediate despatch for the above Port.

Hongkong, August 6, 1884. (1884) 1306 FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

or about the 10th Proximo. JARDINE MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, August 20, 1884. 1397

Sailing Vessels.

LOOKHART, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, August 4, 1884.

WEST POINT IRON WORKS.

vision of an Experienced European. and at moderate terms.

Chael Manager. Hongkong, April 25, 1884.

TITTH Reference to the above, BUSL

NESS will be Commenced on the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

T. JACKBON,

THE HONGKONG & CHINA TRAMWAYS

LONDON:—E. Algan, 11 & 12, Clement's

Lane, Lambard Street, E. C. Gronge

Street & Co., 30, Corphill. Gordon

& Gotch, Ludgate Circus, E.C. Bates

Hendy & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. CAPITAL, 500,000 DOLLARS, In 10,000 Shares of \$50 each, \$5 payable on Application, 810 on Allotment, and the

> Provisional Committee: The Hon. T. JACKSON. The Hon. F. D. SASSOON. C. P. CHATER, Esq. WM. DANBY. Est. W. H. FORBES, Esq. W. K. HUGHES, Esq.

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LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CRAW-Engineers: WM. DANBY, Esq., M. Inst. C.E. R. K. LEIGH, Esq., Assoc. M. Inst. C.E.

Messrs. BRERETON, WOTTON AND DEACON.

ABRIDGED PROSPECTUS. THE Company has been formed for the purpose of constructing, equipping, and working a series of Low Level Steam Tramways in the City of Victoria, Hong-kong. Two Special Ordinances (Nos. 6 and 18 of 1883) have been passed by the Legislative Council and the Government

authorizing the construction and working

Victoria is very favourably adapted for

LONDON BINEERS. London and County

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate The Tramways are intended to be worked of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily y Steam Traction, such being much more economical, trustworthy, and under more effectual control, having more power of overcoming gradients, and giving better results (pecuniary and otherwise) than horse, compressed air, electricity or other motive

chief Commercial places in Europe, India, The Committee anticipate, from the relaadvantages connected with the undertaking, them to the late Firm. that the dividend returns will be satis-

of Application for Charge and every other information may be obtained from 1. The business of the above Bank will THE SECRETARY AND ENGINEERS, No. 13, PRAYA CENTRAL,

> CORPORATION, LIMITED. Incorporated under the Companies Acts 1862 to 1883, whereby the liability of the Shareholders is limited to the

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK

5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing Issue in India, China, Japan clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post and the Colonies. Office. When the form is presented with ten cleanstamps the depositor will PAYABLE

Of Messrs. Boyle, Campbell, Buxton & Co., 80, Lombard Street, E.C. W. W. CARGILL, Esq., written up at least twice a year, about Founder of the Oriental Bank Corporation, the beginning of January and begin-E. F. HARRISON, Esq., C.S.I., 10 Covers containing Pass-Books, Re-A. J. MACDONALD, Esq., other Remittances, and generally, cor-

> Oriental Club, Hanover Square, late Governor of Leeward Islands. GRANT HEATLY TOD-HEATLY, Esq., 13, Carlton House Terrace, London, S.W.

LIMITED. THE BANK OF SCOTLAND (Edinburgh, London and Branches). Brokers:

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COMPANY, LIMITED.

Remainder by Calls as required. The Hon. W. KESWICK (Chairman)

J. A. MOSELY, Esq. WM. WOTTON, Esq. BANKING CORPORATION.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING Temporary Offices: 13, PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

> Tramways, owing to its configuration, the easy gradients of its principal street, (the main thoroughfare from the East to the West ends, along which the Tramways, will be laid), and the immense incessant traffic. The Tramways will be constructed in the best and most substantial manner, and with

wood or other perishable material will be

The engines will be constructed accord-Oredits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and ing to the Board of Trade regulations and will in no way be a nuisance, being almost noiseless, and having no machinery, smoke,

> There is no agreement or contract in existence affecting this undertaking. Plans and Estimates may be seen at the

Office, and the full Prospectus and Forms

Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on wook-days, 10 to 8; Saturdays, 10 APPLICATIONS for SHARES will be Recived until the 30th September. Hongkong, August 7, 1884.

amount of their Shares.)

CAPITAL - £2,000,000.

First Issue of 100,000 Shares of £10 Each. Of which 50,000 are Reserved for £1 on Application: £1 on Allotment, and

the Balance of £8 at such times and in

such sums not exceeding #2, as

the Directors may determine,

and at intervals of not less than one month. Interest at Five per cont. per annum will be allowed upon all payments made Postage Stamps of any values.

8.—Interest at the rate of 35 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on in advance of Calla) Directors: CHRISTIAN ALLHUSEN, Esq., 9. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis D. L. W. P. Director of the International Bank of London, Limited. LIONEL R. C. BOYLE, Esq.

> Formerly President of the Bank of Bengal. Late of Sir Charles Forbes & Co., and formerly President of the Bank of Bombay. SIR BENJAMIN C. C. PINE, K.C.M.G.

Lankers 2 -THE UNION BANK OF LONDON,

3, Drapers Gardena, E.C. Solicitors: Messrs. HOLLAMS, SON & COWARD,

Street, E.C.

Forms of Application for SHARES may

be obtained from the Orriozs of the

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, Hongkong.

13th August, 1884.

BOYD & Co.

TERSONS desirous of Exchanging Soiled ONE DOLLAR NOTES for CLEAN Ones may do so at the Hongsong & Shang-HAI BANKING CORPORATION from this date.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1883 CHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-

Hongkong, August 2, 1884.

Hongkong, August 16, 1884.

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MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. No. 53, Queen's Road East,

(OPPOSITE THE COMMISSARIAT), ARE NOW LANDING FROM AMERICA.

IMOPOGAN BUTTER. Eastern and Californian CHEESE. CODEISH. Bonoless. Prime HAMS and BACON. Eagle Brand Condensed MILK. Family BEEF in 25 lb kege. Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 th cans. Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 24 th cans. Assorted Canned VEGETABLES. Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage

MEAT. Stuffed PEPPERS. Assorted SOUPS. Richardson & Robbin's Celebrated Potted MEATS.

Lunch HAM. Lambs' TONGUES. Clam CHOWDER. Fresh OREGON SALMON. Dried APPLES. TOMATOES. SUCCOTASH. Maple SYRUP. Golden SYRUP. Cracked WHEAT. HOMINY. HONEY.

SCALES. FAIRBANKS'

400 lb. Capacity. 600 lb..

·KAISAR·I-HIND CIGARETTES

in crystallized Boxes of 100 at \$6.50

per mille. SPORTING AND RIFLE GUNPOWDER in 1-th Tins.

AGATE IRON WARE. INSERTION RUBBER. TUCK'S PATENT PACKING.

HITCHCOCK HOUSE LAMPS. PERFECTION STUDENT LAMPS. LAWN BOWLS.

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> Ex late Arrivals from ENGLAND.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF S T 0 R E S.

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COCOATINA.

IRISH BACON in time. VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA. Epp's COCOA.

SPARTAN

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CHATEAU MARGAUX. CHATEAU LA TOUR, pints & quarts. 1RES. GRAVES, BREAKFAST CLARET, SHERRIES & PORT—

BACCONE'S MANZANILLA & AMON-TILLADO. SACCONE'S OLD INVALID PORT HUNT'S PORT.

BRANDY, WHISKY, LIQUEURS, &c.-1 and 3-ster Hennessy's BRANDY. COURVOISIER'S BRANDY. FINEST OLD BOURBON WHISKY. KINAHAN'S LL WHISKY. ROYAL GLENDEE WHISKY. BOORD'S OLD TOM. E. & J. BURKE'S IRISH WHISKY. ROBB'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL. NOLLY PRAT & CO.'S VERMOUTH. JAMESON'S WHISKY. MARSALA EASTERN CIDER. CHARTREUSE. MARASCHINO. CURACAO. ANGOSTURA, BOKER'S and ORANGE BITTERS.

BASS'S -ALE, bottled by Cameron and SAUNDERS, pints and quarts. GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. & J. BURKE, pints and quarts. DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the

Gallon. ALE and PORTER, in hogsheads.

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Fine New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in 5 catty Boxes BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. lb.

MILNERS PATENT FIRE-PROOF SAFES, CASH and PAPER BOXES, at Manufacturer's Prices. Hongkong, August 15, 1884.

To Let.

MODOWNS-TO LET PRAYA BAST AND WANDHAT ROAD. For Particulars, apply to SIÉMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, April 26, 1882.

TO LET. THE PREMISES in MARINE HOUSE Queen's Road, now occupied by the NOVELTY STORE.

Apply to HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, July 14, 1884.

TO LET. TO. 256, PRAYA CENTIAL. Nos. 4. 7 and 8. SEYMOUR TERRACE No. 7, Galden Road (known as 'HAR-PERVILLE').

No. 4, OLD BAILEY Street. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, August 7, 1884.

THE PREMISES now occupied by w, No. 11, Queen's Road Central. For further Particulars apply to Messrs. Russell & Co.

TO LET.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, August 1, 1883. TO LET.

REENMOUNT, BONHAM ROAD; from the lat of September, 1884. Apply to GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, July 21, 1884.

TO LET, FURNISHED. TO LET, FURNISHED, No. 10, SEY-MOUR TERRACE.

Apply to MANAGER. China Mail OFFICE, Hongkong, April 15, 1884. TO BE LET.

NTO. 6, UPPER MOSQUE TERRÂTE. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1884.

Intimations. HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS,

WYRDHAM STREET, HONGKONG.

THE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and the Coast Ports that he will RE-OPEN THE HOTEL DE L'UNIVERS on the 1st March.

The whole of the ROOMS have been NEWLY FURNISHED throughout, and there are ROOMS suitable for either MARNED Couples or Single Persons. The TABLE will be supplied with the BEST the market can provide. The WINES and LIQUORS supplied, both at the Bar and Table will be of the THE Undersigned having been appointed VERY BEST BRANDS. GENTLEMEN desirous of taking Meals, such as TIFFINS and DINNERS, can have ALL REQUISITE information by

applying to GEORGE STAINFIELD Proprietor. Hongkong, February 28, 1884. THE REPORT OF THE TRIAL OF LOGAN AT CANTON that appeared in

the China Mail has been printed in PAM-PHLET FORM, and is now on Sale. -Price, 30 Cents. Hongkong, October 3, 1883.

Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE:) CAPITAL, Two MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls

Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms Proposals for Life Assurances will be recoived, and transmitted to the Directon If required, protection will be granted on

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkon de Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

NOTICE, QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-

MHE Undersigned are prepared to accept L Risks on First Class Godowns at

per cont, net premium perannum. NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 19, 1881. THE SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND

MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND. CAPITAL: ONE MILLION STERLING.

UNLIMITED LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS. THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENT of the above Company is prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE

RISKS, at Current Rates, allowing the usual Discounts. ALEXANDER LEVY. Hongkong, August 1, 1884.

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE. RISKS to all parts of the World, at current ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, November 5, 1883. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to lusura against FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1,1882. THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF His Majesty King Garge The First,

Agents for the above Corporation are propared to grant Insurances as follows: (Taking Cargo & Passangers at through rates Marine Department. Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports

of India, China and Australia. Fire Department. Policies issued for longor short periods at Life Department. Policies issued for sums not exceeding

£5,000 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES: FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG AND MANIIA.

are being landed at their risk into this Godowns of the Undersgned, at Wanchal whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and fall

the Undersigned, before Noon on the 25th Instant, or they will no be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 25th Instant will be subject to rent. Noon To-Morrow, the 10th Instant.

Hongkong, August 18, 1884.

SINGAPORE.

SEN, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-938 of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharven or Boals delivery may be

Steamer despatched 23rd Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Golowns. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by TUESDAY, the 2nd September.

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE. MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

YOKOHAMA TO-MORROW (SUNDAY), I. MARTIN,

FOR SHANGHAL

Port TO MORROW, the 24th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, August 23, 1884. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI (DIRECT.)

Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain Bragg, will be depatched as above TO-

For Freight or Passage, apply to Agents.

Hongkong, August 23, 1884.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

| Destination. | Pessels. | Captain. | Agents. | Date of Leaving. |
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| Δmoy | Funorda (a) | Hutchison | Russell & Co | August 24, at 5 p.m. |
| Amoy and Taiwanfoo | "Phylogia" | Pocock | Douglas Lapraik & Co | .August 25, at 3 p.m. |
| Bangkok Bangkok | Danula (c) | | Yuen Fat Hong | .'August 25, at 49 am |
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| Cape Town, &c., via Singapore. | TEGIZION (2) | Jacobs | Jardine, Matheson & Co | About August 27. |
| London, via Suez Canal | , C. 2 C. 1 T. 1 | Edmond | P. & O. S. N. Co | August 28, at 4 p.m. |
| London, &c., via Suez Canal | | Anderson | Butterfield & Swire | August 30. |
| London, via Suez Canal | Achilles (8) | Gealen | Jardine, Matheson & Co | About September 10 |
| London, via Suez Canal | · Catolatel (w) | Lormier | | Sept. 4, at moon. |
| Marseilles, &c., via Salgon | . Yangtsé (s) | | Russell & Co | quick despatch. |
| New York, via Sucz Canal | Principia (8) | Bailey | | quick despatch. |
| New York | Southern Cross | | 2 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 | Sept. 5, at 3 p.m. |
| San Francisco, via Yokohama. | City of Peking (s) | T contribut | Russell & Co | quick despatch. |
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| Hongkong & Whampos Dock Co., Limited HK. and China Gas Company, Limited New Shares | 2,000 500 1,900 2,000 | 8 12a £ 10 £ 10 8 100 |) | C 8 552 17 1 | \$ 4,351.58 | 50 prem., \$84 per si \$145 — | =\$187.50 sellers |
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Notices to Consignees.

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Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

FROM HAMBURG PENANG AND

THE Steamship Lydia, Captain THYEE-

Cargo remaining undelivered after the

SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, August 18, 1884.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant LAFON

Acting Agent! Hongkong, August 23, 1884.

The Steamship Capt. Sr. John, will be despatched for the above

SIEMSSEN & Co.

for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW word MORROW, the 24th Instant.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

the Undersigned.

cent. per packago per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me before the 30th Inst, or they will not be recognised. No Fire insurance has been effected. I. MARTIN, Acting Agent.

Hongkong, August 22, 1884. Not Responsible for Debts.

Veither the Captuin, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-ABBIE CARVER OF BOSTON, Amer. barque,

Capt. B. C. Pendleton.—Captain. ALICE MUR, British barque, Captain E. Henry. -- Master. AMY TURNEZ, American barque, Captain A. W. Newell.—Russell & Co. C. T. Hoox, British steamer, Captain W

Jarvis.—T. Howard & Co. CHI YUZN, British steamer, Capt. Wallace.—Russell & Co. Consica, American ship, Caplain W. W Punington -- Arnhold, Karberg & Co. F. C. Sieben, German barque, Capt. Holm. WIRLER & Co.

LADY HAREWOOD, British barque, Capt. T. H. Williams. - Wieler & Co. SEA RIPPLE, British 3-masted schooner, Capt. Alfred Rickers.—Siemsen & Co. VELOCITY, British barques Captain R. Martin - Pustau & Co. WEST AUSTRALIAN, British barque, Capt.

James Thomas.—Gilman & Co. WILDWOOD, American barque, Captain Chas. A. Sawyer. -- Melchere & Co. WILHELD HOMEYER, Ger. barque, Capt. W. Holtz Siemssen & Co.

> SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

Meridial, Siamoso barque, 294, Kruse. Bangkok August 14, General CHINESE. Vorugett, German steamer, 612, Boysun, Mauritius July 26, and Singapore August 16, General WIELES & Co. Crusa let, British steamer, 647, Rowin, Touron August 20, General ARNHOLD, KARBERS & Co.

August 23, 1884 :-

Esmeralda, British steamer, 995, T. Hutchison, Manila August 19, General -- Rus-ERLE & CO Glenogle, British steamer, 2,000, Hogg,

London July 12, and Singapore August 17 General - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Pech Li. British steamer, from Canton. Amoy, British steamer, from Cauton. Kong Beng, British steamer, 862. R. Jones Hangkok August 17, General -- YURN FAT HOND.

Lide, British steamer 620, Leitch Bitta-To-day's Advertisements. tow August 22, Concret Annuold, Ask-Anion, German steamer, 306,

DEPARTURES. August 23 :--Capt. Huronison, will be desputched for the above

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHII

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong August 23, 1894. 5

SATURDAY, the 30th Instant

Hongkong, August 23, 1884.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

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FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND

ADELAIDE.

LAND PORTS, and taking through

DONIA, FLJI and TASMANIA:1

will be despatched as above on or about

Parcels (all of which must be sent to our

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FROM LONDON, PENANG AND

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Cargo remaining undelivered after the

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Hongkong, August 23, 18842 7 1409

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MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamships

Cordonan and Thane, from Antwerp

and London, in connection with the above

Steamer, are hereby informed that their

Goods-with the exception of Opium, Trea-

sure and Valuables—are being landed and

stored at their risk at the Company's Go-

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on

unless intimation is received from the Con-

signees before 2 p.m. To-DAY (Friday), requesting if to be landed here.

Bills of lading will be countersigned by

Goods remaining unclaimed after Fra-

DAY, the 20th Instant, at Noon, will be

subject to rent and landing charges at 1

downs, whence delivery may be obtain

immediately after landing.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

30th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

p.m.-To-day

SINGAPORE

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Agents.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, August 23, 1884.

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Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALE

The Co.'s Steamthip

Esmeralda.

Sir Garnet Wolseley, for Shanghai-Kennett, for Singapore, &c. Elsa for Hothow, Port TD-MORROW, the 24th Instant, at Marie Louisenfor London 5 p.m., instead of for Mantla via Amov as Ningro, for Shanghair

Pechili, for Tientsin. OLEARED. South American, for Ban Francisco. Beta, for Takao. Antown, for Shangha. Wilhelm Hameyer, lot Chefoo. Guy C. Goss, for Victoria, (B.C.) Amon, for Shanghai

PASSENGERS Capt. Anderson, will be despatched as above on Per Meridion, from Bangkok, 6 Chinese. Per Vormerts, from Mauritius, &c., 4 Europeans, and 122 Chinese, 3 deaths on the passage. In qualantine...

F. C. Mielien, for Houle Choe, Cochin Chin

Per Esmeralda, from Manila, Capt. The P.M., and on Fridays, at 7 F. M. band, Mr Lindsay, Mr and Mrs Liban, 1 Sr Strephen's Mission Church - Rov. European, and 240 Chinese. 264 Chinese. Per Kong Beng, from Bangkok, Mrs M. in Chinese month

Per Lide, from Swatow, 102 Chinese Per Anton, from Holhow, 36 Chinese Per Ningpo, from Shangbai, 11 Chinese Por Pechili, for Tientsin, 2 Chinese.

The British barquetine Mount Lebanon

tralian Steamship Co.'s TO DEPART. Per Antenor, for Shanghai, 1 European. Per Guy C. Goss for Victoria, 2 Enro-Office) will be received up to 4 p.m. of the SHIPPING REPORTS.

reports: From Honolulu (H.I.), siled on the evening of June 30th. Experienced light Easterly winds as far as the Mariana or Ladrone Islands; passing them between the Islands of Sapan and Faralon de Medinilla on the night of the 22nd July. Thence experienced tresh breezes from East to S.E. and squally, attended with plenty of rain and a high confused sea until the 29th July lat. 16° 40 N., long 130.00 East; when the wind shifted suddenly to THE Steamship Glenogle having arrived the N.W. From that time until the 13th from the above Ports, Consignees of August, the wind remained to the Westof Cargo are hereby informed that their | ward from N. W. to W.S. W. with a heavy Goods—with the exception of Opium—are cross sea. On the 2nd of August, during a being landed at their risk into the Godowns | heavy squall from N.W., sprung the head of the Undersigned, whence and/or from of the foremast. On the 15th inst, passed the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob- through the Ballington Channel with light airs from the S.E. and South thence to Optional Cargo will be forwarded un-

port light airs and calms. Four of the Chinese passengers died on the passage. Came to anchor at 7.30 a.m. The British steamer Crussader reports Moderate breeze from W. to N.W. all well: The British steamer Esmeralda reports Strong gale from the Westward, with high confused sea; latter part moderate foutherly vinds and fine weather. The British steamer Glenogle reports

Singapore to 10 N., had fine weather thenc to 13 N. strong N.W. squalls vering N.E. with very heavy rains, and a confused sea thence to port line weather; but very heavy swell from Eastward. The British steamer Kong Bengreports First part had fine weather, and Northerly breeze as far as Paracels thence to port light S. W. winds, and clear weather; beavy E.W.E. swell.

Mollerate S. W. monsoon fair weather. POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:

The German steamer Anton reports

For SHANGHAL Per Amoy, at 9 a.m., ou Sunday, the 24th inst. Per Antenor, at B a.m., on Sunday, the 24th inst.

FOR AMOY AND MANILA. Per Esmeraldu at Da.m., on Sunday, the 24th inst., instead of as previously notified. For BANCKOK .-Per Danube, at 9.30 a.m., on Monday

the 25th inst. For AMOY AND TAIWANFOO .-Por Thales, at 2.30 p.m., on Monday, the 25th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.-Per Kwangtung, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 26th inst.

For BANGKOK.—

Per C. T. Hock, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday, For NAGASAKI, KOBE, AND YOKO-HAMA.-

the 30th inst. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET,-The British Contract Packet Clyd will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 28th August, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyond, via Brudin; to the Strats Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Caylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malts, and Gilraltar.
The usual hours will be observed in closing

the Mails, do.

Per Thibet, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday,

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Yangise will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 4th September, with Mals for the United Kingdom, Europe; and places beyond, sid Naples; to Saigm, Straits Settlements, Batavis, Burman, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies; Pendichery, Madras, Calcutts, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, do.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet City of Poking will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 5th September, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco: the United States Canada. Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be at 7.55 p.m. closed as follows :--2.15 r.m. Registry ceases. 2.30 r.m. Post-Office closes, but Corres-

pondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra

Postage until the time of departure. variety of the second HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH MAIL The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract

Day of Departure,— Noon, — Money Order Office closes. 2 P.M. Registry of Letters coases Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases.

r.M.-Mail closed, except for Late 8.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 3.40 r.m.—Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late

Foe of 10 cents until time of

MIMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping. Esylight - Volga leaves for Yokohama. Hollow August 22, General .- Wisin de Midmor leaves for Shanghai.

5 p.m. - Kemeraida leaves for Amoy. 5 p.m. Amoy leaves for Shanghai. RELIGIOUS SERVICES:

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL - ROY, W. Jennings, M.A., Colonial Chaplain, Morning Service 11, Evening 5 Holy Commumon every Sunday, except the 2nd and 4th in the month. Military Service Rev. H. W. Lee, B.A., Military Chaplain Parade Service at 8 A.M. Holy Communion on the second Sunday at the conclusion of the Parade Service. Union Church — Service, J. A.M. Soldiers' Service, 7.30 A.M.—Rev. J. Colville. Service in Chinese, 2 P.M.—Rev. J.

Chainers, M. A. L.L.D. Sr. Peter's Cateon; for Branch, &c. -Rev. H. W. Lee, B. A., Chaplain, Service at 6 P.M. Holy Communion after Service on the third Sunday in each mouth. All the Seats are free, LONDON MISSION CHAPEL, Quest's Road West Hongkong Christian Association Per Crusader, from Touron, 126 Chinese. Services for Seamen, on Sundays, at 7.30

J. B. Ost, and Rov. Lo Sam Youn. (All Per Glenogle, from London, &c., Miss and | Services in Chinese.) Morning Prayer:-Master Hopkins, Messrs Martin, Platt, Litary, Ante-Communion, and Sermon, at Harrison, Shuttlewood and Preston, and 11 A.M. Bible Class, at 3 P.M. Frenching, at 6.80 P.M. Holy Communion; In Sunday Danald and son, and 120 Chinese, and a Greek Bernson Charge Service in the German language, by Rev. F. Hartmann, every Sunday, at half-past ten A.K., in the Charel of the Berlin Foundling House.

West Point St. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, Garden Road. -9 a.n. Mass and Sermon. 5.30 f.M. Evening Service. Beridiction. PEAK CHURCH. Church of England Services at 5 on all Sunday Evenings in the month except the last. Holy Communion at 8 A.M. on the last Sunday m month. Presbyterian Service on last Sunday at

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Shipping. Wooswig leaves for Australian Ports: 10 a.m. - Danube leaves for Bangkok. 3 p.m. Thater leaves for Amoy, &c. Goods ner Dord Tully undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Auctions 2 p.m.—Auction of Sundries at Victoria Exchange. Make 14

Meeting. 3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at the City Hall.

General Memoranda.

PRIDAY, August 20 Goods per Antayrundelivered liter Noon subject to reat and landing charges. ATURDAY: August SO :--Goods per Glenogte undelivered after this

date subject to rent. Tosaday, September 2:-Noon. -Aucton of Stores, Ac., at H.M. Naval Yard FUENDAY, September 30

Statement of Business to the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co., Ltd., to be sent in before this date. BRIDAY. October 31 :--List of Contributions to the Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., to be sent in

before this date.

THE HONGKONG DISPERSARY, Established A.D. 1841

香港大藝月

A. S. WATSON & Co., FAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS, WHOLESARE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS, IMPORTERS gille it 3 Prairie and america.

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Honzkong, June 1, 1876. SUN AND TIDE TABLE FOR HONGKONG.

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Flats: 3 les. 30 mins. at Skameen

RONGROMS, SITURDAY, AUGUST 23, 1884 THE political situation continues to be the absorbing public question. It is, howto write, for a fresh cablegram may at any moment upset arguments, theories or reports. The friends in Shanghai who kindly forward in special cablegrams ate not infallible; their announcement last night that Li Hung Chang had been instructed to endeavour to make terms with the French tony turn out not to be well founded, but we believe 3.30 P.M. - When the Post Office closes it affords the most reliable and latest information of the situation received in the Colony up to the present time. It Li Hung Chang is entrusted with such a mission, bit efforts to bring about a

so instructing line, may be merely attempting to follow a further delay in warlike operations and to goin additional time for strengthaning their defences. But the French are not likely to allow any such ruse to injuriously affect their position. If the Chinese Government is resity desirous of coming to terms, it will have to give way promit! Usual to compress its pour parlers into the brief st form.

Afthough the French may not wait to make a formal declaration of wer before striking mother below-such a declaration froul the Chinese Government is not sufficiented until the French have taken some definite hostile steps-yet we presume there will have to be an official declaration of war between the -two countries sooner or later if hostilities do ensue. A formal declaration of wor is almost necessary for the guidance of neutral Powers, who have to nursue a well defined course of action in regard to belligerents.

It receps to us almost certain that if the two countries do come to blows there will be a certain amount of fighting at Foodlow. Admiral Courbet has blocked in the river Min a large namber of native men-of-war. He cannot, dered the 339 Spanish dollars with Chinese in the event of hostilities, allow those chops on them, imported by the steamer vessels to get loose to roam about in the waters of the Far East, and, if war is declared, he can scarcely afford to keep the greater portion of his fleetat Pocchow for the purpose of blockading these vessels. which, it must be remembered, are supported by the heavy forts on land. Admiral Courbet will have to canture these vessels and contend with the forts at the same time. The Chinese war vessis may make a very feeble de-"in fonce: the forts and their defenders may also speedily melt away under the fire of the French guns, but if war is declared, there will be un extraordinary spectacle at Pagoda Anchorage, and a this request, and has decided to establish very marties quatre d'heurs for one or the other of the belligerents. The mosquito guilloats have had about six weeks in which to take aim with their twentyfive, or thirty-five ton guns at the French vessels, and if their monster projectiles do hit even an iron-clad there should be some damage done.

parently be a necessary consequence of discharged. He has been, during the a war, we do not think the French will be contented with occupation of that port. As we pointed out on a previous occasion it is very doubtful concerning the state of his mind. if the French would be able to obtain any revenue from the Customs there so long as the Chinese troops were in possession of the country around and were able to prevent any goods being transported to or from Company's S. S. Anadyr, have been forthe settlement; and it is very doubtful if the mere occupation of the port would bring the Chinese Government to terms under such The cargo for Shanghai &c. by the circumstances. In point of fact, the Landyr will be transferred to the S. S. French would require for more troops | Glenogle, than they have at present at their disposal in the Far East to occupy Foo No less than twenty-one members of the chow, considering the mass of troops, with effective artillery, the Chinese could concentrate there. We received brought up before Mr Wise as rogues and the news by the last mail that about vagabonds and were disposed of for the 2,400 troops are now on their way out next six weeks by being sent to do hard from France, but, if hostilities ensue considerable reinforcements will be re- This will be a good riddence to the comquired by the French in Tonquin in order to keep back the Chinese armies on the borders of that country. Our idea is that if the French are merely to seize and hold a material guarantee | thip any of these men they will be releated that Formosa will be the guarantee selected. The French would then have only to contend with the Chinese troops already on the Island, their navy preventing the Chinese Government from increasing its forces there; and it would, perhaps, be practicable for the French to manipulate the customs and trade of Formosa to the adventage of the exchequer of the Republic.

TELEGRAMS.

THANCE AND CHINA.

LONDON, August 22. Instructions have been sent to Admiral Courbet to commence bombardment of the Foochow Arsenal at daylight this morning (22nd) and thereafter to land sufficient force to destroy all war material and stores.

Telegrams have been received here from Foochow this afternoon stating;-Hostilities will commence.

Hostilities commerced at 2 p.m. Heavy

Hostilities stopped on account of typhoon

It is also stated that three French vessel have been sunk.

Mesars Adamson, Bell & Co. have kindly furnished as with the following telegram: Shanghai, 5.44 p.m.

We have received a telegram from Foochow. Heavy firing Pagoda Anchorage. Anticipate no danger of Foochew.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

Passed Cinal: - Agamemnon, July 25.

The ment American Mart. per the P. M. 8. S. Co.'s steamer City of Peking, with San Francisco mails, left Yokohama on the 17th inst at daylight for this post. She may therefore be expected to arrive here on or about Saturday, the Brd inst

The next Engline Mail, by the P. & O. Co.'s steamer Robi tu, left Bingapore for this port on Thursday, the 21st instant, at 8 a.m., and may be expected to strive here on or about Tuesday, Tonquin. the 26th instant.

The next two direct steamers, with the eizhli Government salei opium and 20th for this port.

THE Government Astronomet reports :-The Bowmeter has risen. The typhoon will no doubt recurve, towards Japan,

its accuracy, that 30 Dutch vessels of ver will operate on the Acheen coast, in respect to the recovery of the imprisoned crow of the Nizero

Tax duties collected during the mouth of July at the Custom Houses of Manila, Iloilo, Cobu, Zamboanga, Sual and Albay amounts to \$147,159,45, or \$13,224.14 over the sum collected during the same month in 1883. The duties on imports had increased by \$14,600.50, and these on exports decreased 8674.00.

rom Daot, Rayay, and Nueva Caceris stating that a strong shock of earthquake, lasting about twenty seconds, was felt there on the 15th August at 7.45 p.m. At Dact a second shock, of less violence, was shortly after. The first shock was accompained by aubteranean noises.

THE Spanish authorities at Manila have er-Don Juan and consigned to the Chinaman Ng-Champo, and also the 1,167 dollars of the same kind; brought on by the steamer Kameralda and consigned to Mr Wassiamull Assomull, to be m-exported.

THE Under-Secretary of the Marine and Colonies requested, says the Saigonnais, the Bank of Indo-China, which has agencies at Pondichery and Saigon, to establish a branch in Tonquin as soon as possible. The maaugement of the Bank has deliberated on a branch in Tonquin, without delay, at one of the towns to be selected after further

TROMAS Phipps, an unemployed steward, who was charged at the Police Court, week since, with being a dangerous lunatio, While fighting at Foothow will ap- | was brought up again this morning and week, under the observation of the Colonial Surgeon, who has reported favourably

> We are informed by the Agent of the Messageries Maritimes Company that the mails for the North from Europe, per the warded this afternoon by the S. S. Sir Garnet Wedselsy.

beach combing fraternity were this morning labour for that term in Victoria Gaol. munity, as the nuisance was becoming almost unbearable. It has been arranged that if a chance offers, in the meantime, to on the application of the Harbour Master.

A leading institution here received a cablegram this morning, despatched from London last night, stating : 'It is publicly innonnoed that warhas been declared between rance and China.

A telegram received to-day by a firm here, from Foochow, states that everything was

quiet there up to last night. Rumours have been flying around the Jolony to the effect that Foochow had bombarded and was in the hands of the French, but that the latter had lost three essels in the engagement.

THE Director of the Manila Observatory forwarded the following observations to the Contercio on the 18th August :- About dark, on Saturday (the 16th) we noticed that a cyclone was forming to the E.S.E. of Manila: at first it appeared to come in the lirection of Manila, but between 7 and 8 o'clock on Sunday morning we observed ing the coast ; one of the branches crossing the island to the South and the other running along the East coast. At present the principal, branch appears to be to the S.W. and is gradually moving towards the China

THE French Government appears to be adopting special efforts to encourage onigration from France to Tonquin. Accordng to the Saigosnais, by a decision of Minister of Marine and the Colonies, all persons who deire to go to Tonquin to obtain passages on the State transports on payment merely of the cost of the rations consumed on the voyage, namely, about eighty france for each person. The circular the Minister states that the places in Tonquin which offer the best prospects for emigrants are the towns of Heiphong and Hanoi. The columists are also informed that all necessary information will be afforded them by the French authorities in

Indian mails, left Calcutta on Aug. quarantine, viz., the German steamer Vor- ments of the French capital may prove

"also fail, or the Chinese Government, in the Straits Times and coming from a somi- Rowin, owner from be left 1881 the number of inhabitants rose from acknowledged that they had received a noofficial source, there is no reason to doubt on the 20th instant, with 126 Chinese pas- 1,988,080 to 2,240,000, at which rate of in- tification of the Treaty of Tientsin, and sengers on board.

> medical attention they require. She will the Commissioners proposed in 1881 a temprobably remain only a short time under porary improvement in the use of metallic observation.

When the Glucksburg arrived she reported all well, but after she had been in quarant would be enormous, irrespective of the extine for some time, Captain Bertelson (at ELEGRAPHIC nows was received at Manila noon yesterday) reported that a death had occurred on board. Another passenger died last night at nine o'clock. We are assured, however, that there is no contagion.

> H. B. writes to say that the magistrates are wrong in not making the owners noisy chanticlears stop the nuisance. appears that a cock cannot crow unless he throws his head well up. All therefore on each side of the way. that the owner has to do is to have his hen-roost so constructed that the cock a brilliant iden: but what will the society say which exists for the prevention of cruelty to animals ?- Pall Mall Gazette.

Taumouth Castle: which has arrived Durban from Mauritius, brings news from Madagastar to the effect that troops from Tonkin were arriving fast, and being landed at Tamslave and Majunga. A simultaneous attack on the capital from both sides was cing from the Tamatave side. The Vinhleng, from Torkin, had brought 600 sailors to do Hovas opened fire; and the French with- ments so long as they do not, fatigue you, drew without any casualties. Business was Allow yourself 'horse exercise,' but be entirely suspended. Farafatte was to be careful not to overdo it. Walk in moderattacked in force on the 1st inst. - Pall ation, and always take a hansom when you Mall Gazette.

THE reported Union of the China, Straits and Caylon Commands is thus noticed by the Madras Times :- It is stated that the separate commands of Ceylon, the Straits and Hongkong, will, in course of time, be merged into one, with its head, ing to inclination so long as the epidemic tenure of command; he was appointed on according to these simple directions, you the 1st April 1882. This arrangement will will find a great improvement in your decrease the number of good berths for Major-Generals by one, which will not be condition to resist cholera if it attacks you. considered satisfactory in their eyes. The command at Ceylon is at present exercised by Major-General Sir J. McLeod, late of the 42nd, whose appointment dates from the same day as General Sargent's; the vernment appointed a commission to in troops to be commanded consist of 2 Garrison Batteries Royal Artillery, a detachment of Royal Engineers, one battalion of Infantry and one company of a colonial corps of gun-lascars-hardly a brigade, to say nothing of Major-General's command

BEMARKABLE score has just been made with the Rigby rifle by Lieutenant Ferguson, of A Company Inverness Rifle Volunteers. With the view of testing whether the Lieu tenant was as skilful as ever in the use of the rifle, Mr Horatio Ross, the veteran sportsman, arranged that Mr Ferguson should shoot over three ranges-200, 500, and 600 yards, seven shots at each. The competition came off on Friday, when Lieutenant Ferguson succeeded in putting on seven bulls at 200 yards, ax bulls and centre at 500 yards, and five bulls and two centres at 600 vards—a total score of 10. out of a possible of 105. The weather was hazy, and a drizzling rain prevailed for some time. The score, so far as known, is the highest on record, and has occasioned much talk in shooting circles in the north-Aberdeen Free Press.

The English Admiralty may be slow in its magnificent precipitous cliff more work-indeed, we have annual parliamentary orators who insist that it is: but we vessel seventy years on the stocks, as has been done in America. In January, 1815, was commenced at Sackett's Harbour the to the finer parts suspended in the atmoline-of-battle ship New Orleans, called after sphere. Within a circle of 15 kilometres General Jackson's recent great victory, radius from the mountain the layers of She was to be 3,200 tons burden, and was volcanic ashes thus ejected cover the ground to carry 110 guns, and her special business from 60 to 80 metres thick. The known was to act as a floating battery at the surface over which the sales were projected mouth of the St. Lawrence, to prevent the is calculated by Dr. Verbeek at 750,000 English fleet entering the lake. At first, square kilometres—apart from other unand until the news of the Treaty of Ghent known areas where they also descended of December 24, 1814, reached America, He thinks that the finer particles, propelled the construction of the vessel was pressed by the wind, have made a journey round of Miss Jane Margaret Mullins, on the on with hot haste; but on peace being the world. The vapour was condensed to made, the work was stopped and the vessel water, and froze in the cold currents. The that it had divided into two parts on reach- remained on the stocks for sight-seers until refraction through these innumerable ice-1882, when, by order of Congress, she was civatale. Dr. Verbeek thinks, caused the sold by public auction. It is almost pathetic beautiful red glows of our phenomenal sun. to learn that this skeleton thunderer was sets. He calculates that the quantity of sold for £80, and is being broken up.—Pall solid substances ejected by the volcano was Mall Gazette,

An East-end clergyman called attention he other day to the sufferings which tortoises undergo before they are sold in the street on costermongers' barrows; but a lotter in Tuesday's Standard makes one expect that the tortoises who die before they are sold really have the best of it. is a common belief, assiduously fostered by dealers in this commodity, that tortoises establish themselves in that country can feed on blackbeetles. The real fact, however, is that tortoises have much cleaner tastes, and belong to the strictest sect of vegetarians. The things they like are grass and dandelion and lettuces and a few select flewers; and moner than est the domestic pests which are generally the only form of food provided for them, they die of starvation. It is a pity that all this is not more generally known, although no doubt the race of cooks will continue to believe in the virtues of tertoises as beetle killers just as stoutly as housemaids do in the virtue of an apright poker in drawing up the ire. - Pall Mall Gantie.

Ar the present rather grave juncture Aborner two steamers have been placed in few facts respecting the sanitary arrange localty and the British steamer Critader. interest, as shown in an able work, recent The Vortonests, Captain Boysen, which left ly issued by M. Wazon. The total avail-Mauritius on the 20th July and Singapore able daily supply of water is about 100 appears to be proceeding northwards and on the 16th inst., reports that three deaths [million gillons, which, for a population of occurred on the voyage. She carries 122 | between 21 and 21 millions, he considers to

News from Batavia has been received, mys | native passengers. The Crusader, Captain be quite inadequate. Between 1876 and | parlementaire. The Chinese advance posts i crosse lit will be probably 24 millions declared that the partisans who had fired on Our statements regarding the deaths on in 1886. The supply of water would the column in the morning did not belong board the Mount Lebanen were incorrect then be about forty gallons per head to the regular army. These were simply There have been four deaths within the last per diem. This is a higher proportion mountaineers of the country. The Chinese fifteen days, the first on the 8th instant and than Londoners obtain, but is far also protested their respect for the letter the last on the 21st instant. The remain- inferior to the supply of Marseilles, which the Treaty, and assuring us of their pacific ing passengers have all been inspected by has 160 gallons a head per day. Although intentions, asked for five or six days of the Health Officer, and will receive all the the cesspool system still exists in the city, delay in which to evacuate their position. cesspools containingfrom 60 ft. to 200 ft. cube, to be emptied by the pressure of the air, but the cost of emptying these weekly pense of providing and fixing a cresquel receptacle. The amount of household and street refuse per day in Paris is 2,000 cubic metres, or 54,000 cubic feet, which is removed by 600 carts. The rate for this exponditure varies from 1d to 7d. per lineal yard of building frontage, and in 1880 produce £104,000, the whole cost of cleansing being £212,000. All houses in Paris are obliged to deliver the rain-water and house hold waste into the sewen, the municipality providing that every street less then 60 feet wide must have one sewer, and that streets over that width must have one sever

> cannot stand provided in it, and to keep the A CORRESPONDENT sends us the following by the best medical authorities. . Live well its marchen acant.' -that is to say, on cutlets, turtle soup, The Government appears bent upon march- poultry, game, or whatever you fancy, pro- moved, and two kilométres further on, in the description. Do not worry yourself or let seven men killed and forty-two wounded. others worry you. Point out to your wife about to be made, the larger army advan- and children the absolute necessity of protecting the 'bread winner' from anshore work. On June 28 scortie was made noyance—unless the family is prepared to from Tamatave towards Farafatte. The lose its head. Indulge yourself in anuse- of the column. feel anything approaching weariness. Early hours are desirable so far us, going to bed is concerned; but early rising is not to be recommended, insamuch as it induces fatigue. Avoid, as far as possible, political and all other discussions. Leave public questions alone, and take no part in conversations of a controversial character. Read only light literature. Smoke accordquarters at Singapore, but not before lasts: but only eigarettes or eigars of the General Sargent completes his present best quality. By regulating your habits health, and be, at all events, in a better ∸St James's Garette.

> vestigate the nature and results of the cruption at Krakatoa in August last. The report has just been presented by Dr. Verbeck, and it is a remarkable illustration of scientific courage and adventure. Dr. Verbeek thinks that seawater may have been admitted to the molten matter beneath, so as to form steam at high pressure. The sound of the volcanic explosion of August last was heard over a space equal to one sixth of the earth's circumference. So violent were the air-waves caused by the explosions that walls were rent by them (not by earthquakes) at the distance of 830 kilometres away. One sir-wave was propelled from Krakatoa, which travelled no less than three-and-a-quarter times round the circumference of the earth. The large plaintiff was non-suited as it was shown tidal wave appears to have been caused by that he left the store and went to Macao the northern part of the mountain giving way. There only remains the southern part. which has been cut in two from the very top, and forms on the north side a 2,500ft. high. In the place where the fallen part once stood there is now every. where deep sea-in some places as much doubt much whether it has ever kept a as 1,000ft, deep. The quantity of ashes make no order as to that; he did not know thrown out by the eruption must have been enormous, especially if we are correct in assuming that the brilliant sunsets are due 18 cubic kilometres. Dr. Verbeck and his staff thoroughly explored the island last October, where the heat was so great as almost to stupery the party.

General Millot's version of the Langson Affair.

We make the following translation of the official report of the Laugson affair for warded to the Minister of Marine by General Millott from Touquin,

The column was under the orders of Lieutenant-Colonel Dugenne. Commandant Cretin acted as chief of his staff.

From the morning of the 17th the column was attacked by partisans, who fired on it, at short distances, from bushes which flanked the route.

On the 23rd Colonel Digenne reported that, having held the passage of Song-Thuang, he had witnessed his advance guard being fired upon. The advance subsistence. guard continued its forward movement. under the fire of the enemy, which had become more and more lively. At 7 o'clock in the morning the enemy commenced to retreat, and the column cleared the Song- before, were sent to prion for three Thuang. We had then only three wounded. Seeing this reception the Lieutenant-Colonel thought it desirable to deliver a for them by the Harburg Mester.

The letter conveying these sentiments was not signed, and its wording was bymeans clear. At 10 o'clock. mandarin, calling himself the generalissimo

was not required for the retreat of the force, and proposed that the evacuation should take place more mpidly. At two o'clock two mandarins sgain presented themselves, but refused to confer, and withdrewunder a frivolous pretext. Commandant Cretin, who had conducted these genne, returned to the column, sending the

animal shut up at night time. This seems hints as to how to avoid the cholers.' lorces one hour to retire. At the end of gathered, he tells us, from the advice given | that time, the French column will continue

following ultimatum:-

At four o'clock, in fact, the column old cognac that can be procured—in fact, chester rifes and revolvers. We then lost 'keep yourself up.' Avoid worry of every one officer killed, nine officers wounded,

On the 24th, at 8 o'clock in the morning, our advance posts were attacked on two different sides: a third corps manceuvered in our rear in order to cut the line of retreat

increase in atrength, and the turning movement becoming more threatening. Colonel Dugennerave the order to retire.

become very serious. At this moment and when the coolies had

taken up the baggage, they were attacked and took to flight. In consequence the train and baggage fe I into the hands of the

the atternoon, when we had repassed

which place the enemy did not dare to fol-Our losses on the 24th were one officer It will be remembered that the Dutch Go-

and 33 wounded, and two missing. We had struggled against 20 companies New Senson's Canton Scented Teas the

of 300 men each. Our total losses were—2 officers killed, wounded: 17 men killed, 78 wounded, and 3d. per lb. for a few medium to fine.

two missing

SUPREME COURT. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

(Before the Hon. J. Russell, Puisne Judge. Saturday, August 23.

KWOK PAT C. ECA DA SILVA. - \$14; KWOE

rau v. ega da silva, 814. Plaintiffs in these suits are brothers, and were formerly employed in the Novelty Store. They claimed two months' salary from defendant, as he took over the business when Mr Abraham left. The first when Mr Abraham left. In the second case, his Lordship defendant was liable for one month's salary because plaintiff had mained at work in the store after Mr Abraham left until Mr Silva discharged him. Defendant asked if he was ordered to pay the amount out of the proceeds of the sale. so, the amount realised on the sale was less than the amount of the Bill of Sale represented His Lordship said he would where the money was to come from, but defendant had to pay it.

> Police Intelligence (Before both Magistrates.) Saturday, August 23.

ATTEMPTED LARCENY FROM THE PERSON. Fung Atak, a coolie, was charged with attempting to steal a watch from the person

Mr Ewens appeared for complainant. Evidence was given by complainant, who is a nurse in the employ of Mr Ewens, to the effect that at a little after 8 a.m. yesterday she was in the Bonham Road walking beside a perambulator when defendant came up and snatched at her watch. The chain broke and defendant only got the key. He then ran away and the boy who was with complainent pursued him.

Hu Chun, the boy who was with com plainant, corroborated the latter's evidence. He followed the defendant until he saw him stopped by another man, Chau Yau. Three previous convictions were proved against the defendant and he was sentenced to twelve months' hard labour. One dollar was awarded to Chau Yau

the man who arrested the prisoner.

(Before A. G. Wie, Esq.) THE BEACHCOMBERS DISPOSED OF

Samuel Williamson, Torras Sason, George Templin, A. Gillist, W. O'Brien, Robert Brown, Thus. Bennett, John Graham, Peter McCormick, Albert Johnson, M. Cannon, Joseph Smith, Smuel Stanford, Frederick Mayborg, John Horkin, George Sanders, Lewis Howard, William Creigh Carl Kristiensen, Frederick Clark, and Hamis Johannsen, unemployed scamen, were changed with being rogues and vagabonds, and having no visible means of explusive fireworks throughout the city and

Police Sergeant Sauers received instructions vesterday to arrest all beachcombers and he had arrested fourteen of those Chinamen here shall not engage in the brought up. All the defendants admitted the charge. Two of them, Graham and other, so as not to come within too close Horkin, who have been before the Court months' hard labour, the others being this cly, witnessed the operations of the sentenced to six weeks' hard isbour, but newly breented dynamite gun, fired from to be released whenever application is made a fort down the Bay. - London and China

THE TEA TRADE. Lloyd. Matheson & Co.'s tea report for

uly 17th, says :--The latest China telegrams give total expert from all the ports as 67,000,000 lbs. against about 65,000,000 at the same time last season, and 62,000,000 lbs. in 1882. telegrams from Shanghai, dated 12th inst. stating the export of Congou from that por

as 43,500,000 lbs. against about 42,000,000 lbs. list year. The Glengarry, with the first cargo from Foochow, passed Gibraltur yesterday, and is expected in dock on the 21st inst. The public sales of China Teas during

the past week have comprised some 25,000 packages, of which only some 7000 packages Congous some 2000 boxes sold from 7d. quotable change.

3d. per lb showing a decline of fully 1d. strong Hovune kinds attracting most at. depressed, and the few sales passing in

THE CHINESE IN THE UNITED

STATES,

New York, July b. Some of the leading teadealers of this city, in order to assist customers in introducing the finest Formosa Oolong, Japan and Green Teas to the trade, are packing an extra fine grade of these varieties in a handsome one pound tin canister, the charge (including ten cents for the canister) being for Oolong, 85c.; Japan, 65c.; Basket Fired Japan, 60c.; Gunpowder, 81 Imperial, 70c.; Young Hyson, 80c.; Hyson, 60c.; English Breakfast, 75c. The aim is to thus extend the trade for superior teas. Several of the American importers have found their account in having small packages of scented tess put up in paper at the Chinese ports with Chinese characters and their trade marks printed on the covering. Commercidentify these coverings by the symbols of flowers or other emblems by which they are marked in colours and favour them as being 'straight.' An increasing amount of Indian tea is being employed here for mixing purposes, as giving strength and flavour to indifferent teas. In the past twelve months about 10,000 lbs. have been used for this our-

The prevention of the landing of the Chinaman, Pun Kin, en route from Havana, at this port, has led to considerable legal discussion between the Custom-house authorities, the Chinese Consul, and the authorities at Washington. It is assigned that fun Kin is a mandarin, consequently not to be considered a labourer, but pending the solution of legal difficulties. Pun Kin, who was chained at times for recreation to a spile on the wharf, has by the aid of fellow-cronies escaped, and now mingles undistinguishably with the Mott-street colony. The announcement of his essape created huge meriment in the Custonihouse Rotunda, but Deputy-Collector Wyncoop, at mention of the matter, puckers his lips as though he had swallowed a

bushe of green gooseberries. The hostile relations between France and China has led to comments in the American Press indicative of little confidence in her determination to resist the French demand for an indomnity. Her vacilating course during the Tong-King imbroglio has reduced her prestige and aliended any sympathy that previously existed. The impression prevails in mercantile circles that with the differential duties France is certain to impose in favour of herown imports, and tonnage duties on foreign vessels, no profitable business can be carried on by this country with that region, and that the foreign trade done by other nations than France will be with English. French and Italians.

The members of the Siamese Embassy. who leave to-day for England in the Alaka, have certainly employed their time pro- Shanghai, demand, ... fitably. Arsenals, forts, military acidemies, civil institutions and manufactories have been assiduously visited, and pleasure excumions and social reunions have been abundant. The corporations of this city and that of New York have treated them handsomely. They had abundant occasion (Taken of Mesers Folgener de Co.'s Promises for ammement by the resounding noise of country on July 4.

The Chinese Consul for New York has | Barometerissued a sort of ukase, to the effect that same jusiness within three blocks of each

The Chinese Minister, on a late visit to

SINGULAR ACTION FOR ASSAULT AND LIBEL.

At the Oxford Assizes befole Baron

Pollock, the case of Captain Proton; of The Abbey, Abingdon, v. Mr Henry do Windt, of Kingston House, near Abingdon, was heard, occupying the entire day. The plaintificialmed £200 damages for alleged slander and libel and assault, and the dofendant made a counter claim of £100 dam. ages for assault, by which his little inger was broken.-Mr Matthews, Q.C. stated the facts, from which it appeared that on the 18th of May Mrs de Windt, who is the sister of Mr W. H. Long, M.F., of Rood Ashton, with her sister, entered a second class carriage at Paddington, having with them a number of parcels which were were New Scason's Hankow Teas, some strewn about on the scata as the ladies 5800 half-chests of these being good com- wished to have the compartment to themof the Chinese forces, requested a similar mon to medium grades, which sold from selves. This carriage, however, was the 81d. @ 11d. per lb., generally showing a only through one to Abingdon, and decline of id. per b., 900 half-chests better Captain Preston was told by the guard The Colonel replied that so much time qualities selling from 1s. 01d. @ 1s. 31d. to enter the compartment, which he per lh, and 210 boxes at is. 5d. per lb., did, followed some short time after by showing irregular and opeasionally lower a French Governoss in the Earl of rates. In Congous of old import, some Abingdon's family, named Melle Bouvet. 3500 half chests of Black leaf sold from Some difficulty was experienced in finding 61d. @ 9d. per 1b., and 3150 half-chests of seats owing to the parcels being on them, and Red kaf from 51d. @ 91d. per lb., all show- shortly after the train started Caplain Presing easier prices, the latter being especially ton. in changing his seat, moved a large depressed. In New Season's New-make cardboard box on the floor. Mrs de Windt appears to have wished the box to remain @ 1s. 1 d. per lb., the grades over 9d. be- on the seat, and in pulling at it she alleged pourparles in the name of Colonel Du- ing rather firmer, 1360 bexes New Season's that her fingers were hurt. Words were Canton Scented Capors selling from 72. exchanged by Mrs de Windt and her sister @ 1s. 21d. per 1b at fully previous rates, that it arose through travelling with their Colonel Dugenne gives to the Chinese @ 1s. 11d. per lb. Of Green Tens 1250 gone third class at once; and at Reading half-chests of Moyane, and 600 boxes of Mrs de Windt got out, and requested the Ping Suey kinds, sold at prices showing no guard to find her another compartment and to take Captain Preston's name (which he Since the date of our last issue of 3rd had twice refused to give her) as she had instant, five more steamers have arrived been grossly insulted. This was said in a from Hankow, bringing about 14,000,000 loud tone, and was heard by several persons lbs, and the private market has consequent- on the platform, and constituted the ing upon the capital of Madagascar. The vided it is not unripe fruit. Drink the first defile, it was assailed by 4,000 regulars being depressed, except for finest slander. On reaching home Mrs de Windt best claret, champague, dry sherry, and armed with Peabody, Remington, and Win- qualities, which have met with a good said nothing about the affair to herhusband; demand, the best chops of Kintucks and nor did she on the 14th, but on the Keemuns commanding most competition. 15th he went to London, and a Mr Russell. In medium and lower qualities the Trade formerly a captain in the 5th Lancers, continues to act very cautiously, buying came to Kingston House later on the same only from hand to mouth, but it is re- day, and was given a letter, written by Mrs. markable that the quantity offered at de Windt, to take to her husband in Lonauction has fallen off very considerably. don, detailing her version of the affair. only 7000 packages of the new crop having | On the morning of the 16th Mr le Windt been sold during the past week. In fair to wrote a letter at the Junior United Bervice medium grades there has been a limited | Club to Captain Proston, in which he said business from 9d. @ 111d, the latest sales, that he demanded an ample apology, and The forces of the enemy continuing to of the better grades showing a further drop added that any comments of his on the of id per lb., medium to good medium behaviour of a gentleman (?) who would qualities generally being rather slow of sale. | insult two unprotected ladies would be the business done ranging from 1s. @ 1s. | superfluous. This letter was given, scaled, 4d. per lb. for Confaa, the sales under is. to Mr Russell, and he and Mr de Winds travelled the same day to Abindon and Between 10 and 11 o'clock our losses had per lb., and 1s. ld. @ 1s. 5d. per lb. for proceeded at once to Captain Preston's Ningdows and Xeemuns, showing rather residence, where Mr Russell presented the irregular and generally easier rates. Fine letter to him in his library. Captain Presto finest descriptions have commanded torn declined to applicate, on the ground steady rates. Kintuck and Keeman kinds that he had nothing to apologise for. selling from 1s. 8l. @ 2s. 0ld. per lb., and and Mr de Windt was then called into Ningthows from 1s. 8d. @ 1s. 11d per Ib., the library by Mr Russell. Captain Presa few of these being taken for export two ton then entered into an explanation of the or three parcels of choice quality realising laffair, and upon his saying that he had The funilade continued until one o'clock 2s. 2d. @ 2s. 6d. per lb. A few New threatened to complain to the guard of Mrs. Season's Siftings of good liquor have been de Windt's conduct annoyance Mr. de sold at 7d. @ 7dd. per lb. There have been | Windt struck him on the breast. In a struc-Song Thuang and had gained Bac-le, to further arrivals of New-make Congous and gle which ensued Mr de Windt's inger was some quantity sold from 7d. @ 1s. per 1b., broken. The libel complained of was the generally showing rather ateadier prices- words contained in the letter, and the assaults were as described. Before kaving the tention and selling from 10d. @ 1s. 5d. per Abbey, Mr de Windt was alleged to have killed and three wounded; ten men killed lb. Old Sesson's Congous continue most | called Captain Prestons white-livered scoundrel and a coward and that he would not be them show further reduction in value. For seen at a pig-fight with him. Mr Jelf, Q. C. aubmitted that the words uttered on the Reading platform did not amount to slander market have been alightly firmer. Scented and were not actionable, and that there was Capers being dealt in from 9d. @ 1s. 2d. per lb., and Scented Pekoes from 1s. @ 1s. no publication of the libel in the letter. as only the person to whom it was addressed saw it. His lordship concurred and the jury then had only the imue to decide as to the amulta. After a short deliberation they found a verdict for Captain Preston for £50 damages, and a verdict against Mr what on the counter-claim, and jung ment was entered for the defendant on the slander and libel counts, with costs CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL

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in Etizlatil. Children must rick play on Sundays. once kaw two little creatures of six or seven s playing with oranges in the street. A gentlemen went un to them and gave them a bevero reprimanding for their naughtiness. Old maidanro terrible on Sundays; wee be to the children who fall into their cluiches

on the Sabbath ! In France, blind beggars play the dute. In England, they read aloud from a Bible printed in raised characters, over which they pass their fingers. I am inclined to suspect more than one of them of knowing ing chapter of Jeremiah by heart, and of calmly reciting it, whilst sprawling their fingers over the pages for form's sake.

You will see the walls of all waiting moms covered with shoots of scriptural texts printed in large type. Go to the most private places, for men, you will see in front of you, 'God sees thee, or 'Make haste; God waits for thee. 'Turn which way you will, Bible here, Bible there, Bible everywhere.

Prince Bismarck, who, it appears, has a remarkable talent for whistling, landed at Hull one Sunday. 'I had just set foot for the first time on English soil,' he related. 'I began to whistle as I went along the street. An Englishman stopped me and said: "Bir, be good enough to stop whistling."-"Stop whistling! What for!"-"Because it is forbidden. It is Sunday I made up my mind not to stay in Hull another hour, and I started for Edinburgh. Poor Prince Bismarck! What an inspiration! Fancy going to Scotland to escape from the form of tyranny that is called in England the observance of the Lord's Day! Scotland, the land of John Knox and the cradle of Puritanism ! Bismarch has never boasted of the success he met with as a Sabbath Day whistler in In France, Catholics go to church, Pro-

testants to their temples, and Jews to the In England, members of the English Church go to church, members of dissenting

sects go to charel. That which strikes a stranger, when he enters English places of worship, is the total absence of poor people. I make an orception, however, in favour of the Catholic

The English Church-who counts among her followers the aristocracy, the well-to-do classes, and about half of the middle classes, all of them believe in the doctrine that the other world will peopled with all sorts and conditions of men. yet none of them are anxious to commence acquaintance here—does not seek to attract the poor. You never see a shabbily-dressed person in a church, especially in a London one. The paster takes care that his

flock shall be in good company. As to the dissenting churches or chapels, their reason is a different one. The English Church is supported by the State. but each chapel is kept up at the expense of the faithful. The ministers live upon subscriptions, collections, presents, and invitations to dinner. Here again the useleaness of the poor is, alas! only too

Divine service is always conducted in English, and consists principally of extracts from the Bible, and of hynns. More than half the service is passed in singing, very loudly and terribly out of tune. Rowland Hill was anxious to see an improvement in church music. He did not see, he said, why Satan should have the sole privilege of listening to good music. It is certain that the Creator does not hear much in the English churches, except, perhaps, in the

The manner in which the faithful kneel is rather remarkable. The prayer-book contains very precise directions on the subject, however; it even employs a tautological phrase which it is impossible to interpret in different ways: 'Here the congregation shall kneel on their knees.'

But the faithful kneel on something else; they sit down; then, with their chiows on their knees, the upper part of the body thrown forward, and their faces buried in their hands, they look, from distance, as if they were all on their knees. Not a bit of it. They are cheating; they are all comfortably seated.

. The service commences with the general confession. The whole congregation joins in this general examination of the conscience, this universal confession, a confession all the more convenient that there is no need for each sinner to specify his sins; it is the same confession for the greatest sinner as for the most innocent child "We have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things we ought not to have done. Very easy and convenient, as you sec. John, in his religion, as in all other matters, throws overboard everything that is inconvenient, or that might prevent his career from being rapid and prosperous. The confession over, the pastor gives the absolution. This moral cleaning being thus concluded to the general satisfaction, the

troop of spotless lambs begin to express their sense of relief in all manner of keys. The service terminates with a sermon, a very short sermon, which rarely lasts more than a quarter of an As every one attends the church he likes best, and as there are many to choose from -Heaven knows how many —it is politic to render the service agreeable. The sermon is generally a very ordinary production of the mind, and rendered still more tiresome to listen to by being read. ' How do the Church of England clergy think I am going to remember their sermons, when they cannot remember them

themselves?' said a Presbyterian friend to me one day. This practice of reading the sermon is accounted for in the following way : the members of the English Church differ upon certain questions of degma, and a clergman may preach a sermon that is displaying to his flock. If complaint were made to the bishop of the diocese, the the following countries:clergyman might be called upon to produce | Ceylon. the sermon in question. That is why he India. writes it, and reads it from the pulpit. I Japan.* see another explanation of the practice in New South Wales. the following advertisement :- For sale, Port Darwin. fifty sermons, at moderate prices. Apply, Queensland. by letter, to Clericus, Post Office, Man-

chester. I find in Preach the following skit: 'Ah sir, what wicked people there are in the viesr: "they say you stole your somons." woman. The sermons are mine, . . . I

paid for them.'
The Catholic Church, with cathedrals, cardinals, exchbishups, bishops, and a numerous clergy to support at her own expense, is obliged to turn everything to account in order to make the two ends

On Sundays, after service, the Catholic Churches give concerts. These concerts are solvertised in the newspapers, along with the theatres. You pay supence in

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the central nave, and threepence in the side soult. On grand occasions, when there is to be a solemn procession through the church, with a hishop in the rear, the prices are doubled : seats are a shilling, and sixpence. You receive a ticket on entering, just as you do at a theatre. These concorts are all the more patronised because D Sundays there is no competition. Besides, some of them are excellent : there is a full orchestra, singers; and every at-

.The British public puts itself quite at its ease at these concerts; you see that it has come to church to hear some music. It is rather necaliar to see the assembly turn their backs to the altar, so that they may face theorehestra, which is usually placed in a gallery, over the main entrance. I once accompanied to vespers, at the Catholic Cathedral of Southwark, a lady

strongly pronounced Protestant views. When she saw the orchestra and the lustres blazing with light, the poor lady was all bewildered: 'Do you think, she whispered to me, when we were scated, 'that I should look ridiculous, if were to say my prayers?

must say that the services at Westminster Abbey and St. Paul's Cathedral are very imposing: the chants are splendid, simple, but grand. The sermons are preached by the greatest orators of the Anglican Church.

In the dissenting churches, the prayerbook is dispensed with; no liturgy is followed. The minister conducts the service Literal Translations; and Directions for unaided: he prays for the congregation, Rendering English Grammatical Forms into gives out the hymns, preaches a sermon, Chinese and vice versa.-Price, \$2. Interand concludes by passing round his hat The proceeds of the collection are for him;

they are his fees. The collection is the hinge upon which the service turns; the cleat, as we should say in French theatrical slang. In France, the collection is made in a deep bag; in England, the thing is managed more cleverly : a little salver is used. He who would be capable of putting a button into a bag, feels bound to display a piece of silver on a plate that is passed to him. The collector himself, on emerging from the vestry, Price, \$1. places a few half-crowns and other silver coins on the plate, just as a consulting doctor places a sovereign on his desk: it is to tell you. That is what is expected of you. When you go to mass in France, you must be there in time for the Gospel

or it does not count; in England, you must | Press. be there before the collection. In England, you will never find a clergyman cum- FOR SALE at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's, mitting the blunder of having the collection made at the door, after the service, when every one is in a hurry to go, and very few pay any attention to the bag that is held out to them. Whilst you are all in your places, the plate is passed in front of you; your right hand neighbour presents it to you, and you, in turn, pass it to the person on your left, and so on to the end of the seat where the collector takes it, in order to hand it on to the next row of seats. Impossible to close your eyes and pretend to be asleep, as French church-goers are liable to do, when the priest simply rattles his hag at the end of the new.

The following English joke is stale, wornout: Two shipwrocked sailors are just giving up all hope of being rescued. 'What can we do to recommend our souls to God?" says one of them; 'we do not know any prayer; we do not know any hymn: what in the world could we do? 'Let us make a collection,' suggests the

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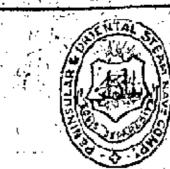
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